

Connecticut General Assembly

President Pro Tem. of Senate Authorized to Sign Measures while Lieutenant Governor is Acting Governor—Appropriations for Judicial Expenses.

Hartford, April 8.—The senate was called to order at 11:15 by Lieutenant Governor Weeks. Prayer by the Rev. J. W. Bardin, rector of St. John's church.

President Pro Tem. May Sign.
Senator Searis offered a resolution authorizing the president pro tem. of the senate to sign measures passed by the general assembly when the lieutenant governor is acting as governor.

Standard Fire Insurance Company.
Senator Chase explained the resolution extending the time for the organizing of the Standard Fire Insurance company and amending its charter. The resolution provides that the capital stock of the corporation shall be \$200,000, with power to increase it to \$500,000, and the stock shall be divided into shares of \$50 each. The company is authorized to make contracts on all kinds of risks, etc. The time for organizing the company is extended to July 1, 1911. Passed.

Transferring Business.
The following bill was explained by Senator Searis and passed:

Section 1. When any person who makes it his business to buy commodities and sell the same in small quantities for the purpose of making a profit shall at a single transaction not in the regular course of business, sell, assign, or deliver the whole, or a large part of his stock in trade, such sale shall be void as against all persons who are his creditors at the time of such sale, assignment, or delivery, unless he shall not less than ten days nor more than thirty days previous to such sale, assignment, or delivery, cause to be recorded in the town clerk's office in the town in which such vendor conducts his said business, a notice of his intention to make such sale, assignment, or delivery, which notice shall be in writing, describing in general terms the property to be sold, assigned, or delivered, and all conditions of such sale, assignment, or delivery, and the parties thereto; and said notice shall be signed by such person or in his name by his attorney.

Section 2. Section 4688 of the general statutes, chapter 72 of the public acts of 1903, and chapter 211 of the public acts of 1906 are hereby repealed.

Calendar.
Passed—Bill appropriating \$8,500 for the purchase of the Valentine farm by the Connecticut Agricultural College, increasing the amount which may be deposited by one depositor in the savings bank of New London to \$1,000; authorizing the town of Mansfield to succeed to property owned by school

districts in town at the time of consolidation; extending the rights of the Norwich, Jewett City and Voluntown Street Railway company to Nov. 1, 1910; authorizing the Ninth school district of Stonington to issue bonds making the following appropriations for judicial expenses: Clerk of superior court, New Haven county, \$134,000; New London county, \$25,000; Fairfield county, \$115,000; Tolland county, \$7,000; Litchfield county, \$35,000.

Reports of Committees.
Roads, Bridges and Rivers. Unfavorable on bill prohibiting the use of siren whistles, prohibiting the cutting out or disconnecting of mufflers from engines upon auto vehicles, providing for the muffling of engines upon vehicles. Bills rejected.

Incorporations. Unfavorable on substitute bill increasing the number of directors of the Southern New England Telephone company to fifteen. Calendar.

Fisheries and Game. Unfavorable on bill exempting the waters of the Thames river adjacent to the town of Waterford from the operation of section 2158 of the general assembly. Calendar.

Judge Elected.
On the motion of Senator Searis a resolution was passed appointing Lewis Cranall deputy judge of New London to fill a vacancy.

Recommitted.
On the motion of Senator Penn the senate concurred with the house in recommitting the bill concerning Hungarian partridges.

The bill concerning water closets in connection with schoolhouses was re-committed to the committee on public health and safety.

The senate adjourned to Tuesday at 11:15.

THE HOUSE.
The house was called to order by Speaker Banks at 11:15. Prayer was offered by the house chaplain, the Rev. Franklin Countryman.

Committee Reports.
Excise.—Unfavorable amending an act concerning voting on the license question; unfavorable on entrance to saloons immediately on the highway; reports accepted, bill rejected.

Railroads. Substitute amending the charter of the Litchfield Street Railway company; calendar.

Roads, Bridges and Rivers. Unfavorable concerning the care and protection of trees in highways and public grounds; calendar.

Railroads. Substitute concerning

drunkenness and other annoyances on street railway cars; calendar.

Finance. Unfavorable amending an act concerning real estate liable to taxation; unfavorable concerning taxation of woodland. Reports accepted, resolution rejected.

Banks. Unfavorable extending the time for organizing the Willimantic Trust company; calendar.

Agriculture. Unfavorable on proposed bills, six in all, concerning dogs. Reports accepted, bill rejected.

Agriculture. Unfavorable on eight proposed bills concerning bounty on wild animals and birds, including foxes, woodchucks, weasels, goshawks and others. Reports accepted, bills rejected.

Judiciary. Unfavorable on provision that justices elected in November may take the oath of office as late as June 1, 1909. Calendar.

Judges Confirmed.
On motion of Mr. Burnes of Greenwich the resolution for the confirmation of the appointment of Frederick H. Hall of Bridgeport to be chief justice of the supreme court was taken from the table and he offered a substitute under suspension of the rules correcting some defect in the wording of the original, after which the house balloted on the confirmation as follows: Whole number of votes, 161; yeas, 161; nays, 0.

The same action was taken on the resolution confirming the appointment of Mr. Burnes to be an associate judge of the supreme court, and the vote was as follows: Whole number of votes, 163; yeas, 161; nays, 2.

Mr. Burnes made the same motion and offered a substitute resolution on the confirmation of Edwin B. Gager of Derby as a judge of the superior court, and the vote was: Whole number of votes, 163; yeas, 164; nays, 1.

The procedure concerning the confirmation of George W. Wheeler of Bridgeport to be an associate judge of the supreme court was the same, and the result of the vote was as follows: Whole number of votes, 161; yeas, 158; nays, 3.

In every case the reports were accepted and the resolutions of confirmation adopted.

Minor Judges.
The house passed resolutions appointing L. B. Fairbrother, A. Robyson of Middletown to be an associate judge of the town court of Stonington and Daniel Webster deputy judge of the town court of Berlin. Mr. Fairbrother takes the place of a man who died in office.

Adjourned to Tuesday next at 11:30.

A Cooper Guarantee.

Cooper, the artist, was so easily copied that many spurious Coopers flooded the market, and the wary old Canterbury painter made a charge for giving his guarantee to his own works. One dealer to whom Cooper owed a grudge traveled down to Canterbury with a "Cooper" under his arm. He had just sold it for a good price but required a guarantee. "You have no objection to oblige me," said the dealer. "Not at all," replied Cooper, "but first pay my fee—five guineas—thanks. Now, sir, you go home and burn that, for I never painted it."—Harrisburg Times.

The Right Sort.

Mrs. Taft looks like a woman who would not live in the White House more than a day until she discovered how many closets there are in the mansion and whether it has any place to dry clothes.—Kansas City Star.

Carnegie Really Knows.

The czar of Russia now claims to be the peacemaker of Europe. As the distinction is claimed for Emperor William and King Edward, there is presented everything necessary to start a first-class scrap.—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

Would Have Made It.

Now if among the men who got within 111 miles of the South pole there had been one who could ride 98 miles a day, they might have made it after all.—New York Evening Post.

Living Up to the Name.

Citizens of the town of Roosevelt, Wis., are endeavoring to change the name of the town to Taft. Must have grown some since the first christening.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Glimpse Forward.

How dreadful it would be if in a debate on a bill to restore the suffrage to man a lady should resent a sister legislator's interruption by pulling her hair.—St. Louis Dispatch.

Long Time Waking Up.

Mrs. Ferdinand Earle says she has discovered that her affinity husband is a lunatic. It takes some people a long time to make up their minds.—Washington Post.

Should Have Another Medal.

As a reward for heroism a helpless girl received a gold medal and was kissed by Speaker Cannon.—Philadelphia North American.

Knox in the Cabinet.

In every flashlight picture we have seen of the cabinet, Mr. Knox looks like a man who wonders how he got there.—Atlanta Journal.

Explaining the Name.

Perhaps they are called "peach baskets" hats because most of them contain at least one peach.—N. Y. American.

Will Be Kept Busy.

The police of Havana have just acquired a patrol wagon with a capacity of twelve persons. Just the right size for the average revolution.

Becoming a Statesman.

Instead of dying, some politicians can become statesmen these days by taking sides with Uncle Joe Cannon.—Providence Tribune.

Can Run with Bryan.

Apparently Marathoner Hayes has been defeated often enough to entitle him to a job in The Commoner office.—Denver Republican.

Beats the Bryan Democrat.

"A Joe Cannon Democrat" is about to be acclaimed by the press generally as the limit in political freaks.—Nashville American.

Looking at Her.

A girl looks at a man in a street car to see if there is cause for her to grow indignant over his looking at her.—N. Y. Press.

The Ideal Republic.

The ideal republic will be achieved when everybody can govern and nobody will be governed.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Recipe Worth Trying.

Hetty Green says she got rich minding her own business. The recipe is worth trying, anyway.—Harrisburg Telegraph.

The Higher Life.

In Chicago women frequently obtain alimony enough to maintain an automobile.—Charleston News and Courier.

Easy After Chasing Congress.

Still, chasing lions and rhinoceroses will seem to Mr. Roosevelt very much like loafing in comparison.—Anaconda Standard.

Has the Coin.

Mr. Carnegie belongs to the Optimist club, of course, but, then, he can afford to.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Uncle Joe and His Family.

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A Waste of Time.

Most men fool away so much valuable time trying to be like somebody else that they have no chance to amount to anything themselves.—Chicago Record-Herald.



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